CRANSTON SCHOOL COMMITTEE MEETING

BUDGET ADOPTION

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 26, 2013

WESTERN HILLS MIDDLE SCHOOL

400 PHENIX AVENUE

EXECUTIVE SESSION: 6:00 P.M.

IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWED BY PUBLIC MEETING

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AGENDA

- 1. Call to Order 6:00 p.m. Convene to Executive Session pursuant to RI State Laws –
- 2. PL 42-46-5(a)(1) Personnel
- 3. PL 42-46-5(a)(2) Collective Bargaining and Litigation:
- a. (Contract Negotiations' Update Secretaries)
- b. (Teachers)
- c. (Bus Drivers)
- 4. Executive Session
- 5. Call to Order Public Session
- 6. Roll Call / Quorum
- 7. Executive Session Minutes Sealed February 26, 2013
- 8. Minutes of Previous Meetings Approved January 22 & 31, 2013
- 9. Public Acknowledgements / Communications
- 10. Chairperson's Communications
- 11. Superintendent's Communications

- 12. School Committee Member Communications
- 13. Public Hearing
 - a. Students (Agenda/Non-Agenda Matters)
 - b. Members of the Public (Agenda Matters Only)
- 14. Consent Calendar / Consent Agenda

RESOLUTIONS

BUSINESS

NO. 13-02-10 - RESOLVED, that the Five-Year Capital Budget plan which begins in the 2013-2014 school year, as recommended by the Superintendent, be approved.

POLICY AND PROGRAM

NO. 13-02-11 -RESOLVED, that at the recommendation of the Superintendent, the following Field Trip(s) of Long Duration/Conference(s) be authorized:

1. Edd Spidell, Pre-Eng./Robotics teacher at the Cranston Area Career & Technical Center,

travel to Karlsruhe, Germany from May 6 – May 10, 2013 to attend the 2013 IEEE

International Conference on Robotics and Automation, at no cost to the School

Department. All funding provided by the Perkins Grant.

2. Jeannine Nota-Masse, Assistant Superintendent, Katrina Pillay, Evaluation Coordinator,

Cheryl Anderson, Assistant Principal at Cranston High School West, Michael Crudale,

Principal at Park View Middle School, and Roxanne Murphy, Principal of Chester

Barrows Elementary School, to travel to Chicago, Illinois from March 13, 2013 through

March 16, 2013 (Mrs. Pillay to return on March 18th) to attend the ASCD 69th Annual

Conference and Exhibit Show (ASCD – Association of Supervision & Curriculum

Development), at no cost to the School Department. All expenses covered through

Title II. See attached Conference Forms.

3. Christopher D'Ambrosio, Assistant Principal of Cranston High School East, to travel to

Parris Island, South Carolina from April 2, 2013 – April 5, 2013, to attend the Marine

Corps Educators' Workshop, at no cost to the School Department.

All expenses are

covered by the Marine Corps. Please see the attached Conference Form and back-up

information.

TABLED RESOLUTION

NO. 13-02-08 - RESOLVED, that the 2013-2014 Operating Budget, as recommended by the Superintendent, be approved.

- 15. Action Calendar / Action Agenda
- 16. Public Hearing on Non-agenda items
- 17. Announcement of Future Meetings March 13 & March 18, 2013
- 18. Adjourn Public Work Session

School Committee members who are unable to attend this meeting are asked to notify the Chairperson in advance.

Individuals requesting interpreter services for the hearing impaired must notify the Superintendent's Office at 270-8170 72 hours in advance of meeting date.

Any changes in the agenda pursuant to RIGL 42-46-6(e) will be posted on the school district's web site at www.cpsed.net, Cranston Public Schools' administration building, 845 Park Ave., Cranston, RI; and Cranston City Hall, 869 Park Ave., Cranston, RI and will be electronically filed with the Secretary of State at least forty-eight hours (48) hours in advance of the meeting.

Notice Posted: February 22, 2013